

## Message Text

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TO AMEMBASSY STOCKHOLM

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, IN, SW

SUBJECT: VIGGEN SALE TO INDIA

REF: STOCKHOLM 01590

IN RESPONSE TO YOUR QUESTION IN PARA 3 REFTTEL, RELEVANT  
US LAW IS ARMS EXPORT CONTROL ACT OF 1976. CHAPTER TWO,  
SECTION THREE, SAYS THAT IN CONSIDERING REQUESTS FOR  
APPROVAL OF RETRANSFER OF ANY US WEAPON OR COMPONENT  
TO A THIRD COUNTRY, THE PRESIDENT MAY NOT GIVE HIS  
CONSENT TO THE TRANSFER "UNLESS THE US ITSELF WOULD  
TRANSFER THE DEFENSE ARTICLE IN QUESTION TO THAT  
COUNTRY." VANCE

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## Message Attributes

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